

REMARKS

Claims 1-20 remain in this application.

Entry of the above amendments is earnestly solicited.
An early and favorable first action on the merits is earnestly requested.

Should there be any matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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APPENDIX:

The Appendix includes the following item(s):

- ☒ - a new or amended Abstract of the Disclosure
- ☐ - a Replacement Sheet for Figure of the drawings
- ☐ - a Substitute Specification and a marked-up copy of the originally-filed specification
- ☐ - a terminal disclaimer
- ☐ - a 37 CFR 1.132 Declaration
- ☐ - a verified English translation of foreign priority document

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A smart card comprising a microcircuit, at least one other component including a protruding component and external contacts in a card-holder. The microcircuit (1), the protruding component (2) and the external contacts (12) form part of a subassembly (S1) fixed in a housing (C1+C2+C3) provided in part of the thickness of the card-holder, the subassembly including a support film (10) bearing on one inner surface the microcircuit (1) and at least the protruding component (2) and on one outer surface the external contacts (12), a window (11) being arranged in the film opposite part of the projecting component.

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